Department of Early Education and Care Disabilities/Special Needs Flexible Funding Check List

Please check to confirm that you have included all the documentation necessary to submit a request for Disabilities/Special Need Flexible Funding.

Children with Disabilities/Special Needs Flexible Funding Application Request
Parental request and consent initiating information from the Local Education Agency
(LEA), Early Intervention Program or other health or service providers
EEC Standard Parental Consent form
A written statement of the licensee's attempts to accommodate the child's disability,
including outreach to the local CFCE grantee and/or Mental Health Consultation Services
grantee
A written plan that describes the use of funds and how the program will transition the
costs of the accommodation for the child from the flexible funding to its operating
budget.
Disabilities/Special Needs Flexible Funding Budget Request
EEC Verification of Disability/Special Need for Children Form, including all required
supplemental documentation (completed by a Physician, Psychiatrist, Psychologist,
Nurse Practitioner, Psychiatric Nurse, Early Intervention Program Director or Special
Education Staff Director with an accompanying letter)
Proof of referral and/or documentation of service delivery to behavioral health specialist,
early intervention services, or special education services, as appropriate
Job description, if request is for an aide position
If request is for training or consultation services, name of person and/or organization,
with documented qualifications of ability to provide training and/or consultation

If the child is on an IFSP, IEP or 504 plan, the licensee must note whether the IFSP, IEP and/or 504 plan requires a 1:1 aide for the child or other accommodation that the program is seeking through this flexible funding request (i.e., if the program is seeking a one-on-one aide, but the child does not have an IEP, which requires a one-on-one, the licensee will be asked to explain this discrepancy in writing).